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SUMMARY.

A large body of Russian troops have been ordered to the East, continuing to take the transport facilities on the Siberian railway.

Princess Ching deigning a secret agreement regarding Manchuria.

Bulgarian troops have been reported on a march by 100 Turkish soldiers to cross the frontier. The Russian of the Turkish numbered 20, and those of the Bulgarians were four.

The 4100th of the Atlantic Shipping Company is selling at 10s and the preference stock at 12s.

Seven officers of the Turkish Imperial Government, charged with extraordinary conduct, have been tried by court-martial and acquitted. The "Standard" condemns the daily vulgar brutality of the officers.

The Turkish Minister for War has ordered Salukia and Adana to be placed under martial law.

Mr. Chamberlain has been reported on Malta the Commission of 1897, as the elected members of the Council of Ministers.

Four thousand people in London started a war, having seized a sugar and burned it at the station, having announced and ordered the daughter of a duke.

Legislation is being prepared in Prussia to interfere with the employment of women in the textile industry.

Several officers in St. Petersburg have been treated with courtesy by the people, some having been killed with stones.

The indignation of the people of Russia against Russia is greatly increasing.

As soon as King Peter reaches Belgrade a bill amending all political offences will be ready for his signature.

When a guard was sent to King Alexander's body into a coffin an officer told him to take the dog in with him. The officer had been frequently a favored guest at the King's table.

In unveiling a statue of Frederick the Great the Kaiser said that his army would remain in the army of his support if necessary, and if his people did not the Kaiser would support him.

The Marylebone Cricket Club is reported to make itself responsible for the visit of an English cricket team to Australia, subject to conditions which will probably be accepted.

It is announced that the military reconnaissance in the State will result in only slight changes in the numerical strength of the forces.

Senator Deussen has been ordered to bring in a bill to amend the act of 1897 relating to the employment of black labor.

The Commonwealth revenue will exceed the Treasury's estimate by about £100,000, and include something like £500,000 from other duties.

The Federal Government, by reducing the unproductive duties on wool, will reduce the duty on wool to 10s per ton, and will reduce the duty on wool to 10s per ton.

Sir Edmund Barton said yesterday that the Federal Government would be willing to pay old-age pensions on the New South Wales or Victorian scale.

Sir John Forrest explains that according to the Defence Bill officers would be compelled to serve outside the Commonwealth.

The Queensland Government has decided to continue in the service of the department of the Queensland Government.

A supposed case of plague has occurred at Auckland.

Last month 214,600 hares and rabbits were brought to Sydney from the country by rail.

A trial of liquid fuel made on the ferry steamer Lady Seymour was successful except for the production of smoke created by the presence of gas.

Thomas Deane has been sentenced to three years' imprisonment for a conspiracy to defraud the Public Service.

In answer to a question in the Assembly last night the Premier said that the Public Service Board had not yet decided to come to a decision on the day labour question.

The Public Service Board state that at the request of the Premier they have resumed the day labour inquiry.

At a meeting of the country party yesterday it was decided to rule with the Government on the present question.

On July 5 the country party will meet to deal with the question of the day labour question.

The Minister for Sydney has maintained the call from St. Andrew's congregation to the Rev. R. E. Davis provided he makes a declaration warning his flock against the day labour question.

It has been agreed to refer the difficulty between the shop assistants and the employers to a friendly arbitration.

At the request of the body of the late Cameron, who was run over by a train on Tuesday evening, a verdict of accidental death was returned.

Mr. May, commenting on the above connected with the release of prisoners under the Criminal Act, said that as though we are becoming a nation of thieves and criminals.

In a lecture on "Child Study" on Tuesday night Mr. G. B. Knibbs said the question was full of interest with the possibility of a new era for the human race.

A conference was held yesterday for the Minister for Works and the Minister for the Interior to discuss the question of the day labour question.

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The Minister has decided that the charge to the public for water obtained at the Broken Hill depot is to be 10s per 100 gallons.

The Mayor of Broken Hill will charge 5s per 100 gallons, delivered to any part of the town.

Further rain-making experiments on a larger scale than those already made are to be commenced as soon as possible.

Our correspondent at Broken Hill wired yesterday that the situation regarding the water supply continues to be most acute.

Since the water supply has failed a four-armed house in Broken Hill, the house has been totally destroyed by fire, the brigade being unable to cope with the flames.

Dr. Stokes reports that local conditions and habits have been favourable to the spread of typhoid at Broken Hill.

He also says that the continued outbreak of the disease in a district shows that the local authorities have failed to comply with the Health Act.

Hygienic examinations have shown that the water supply was not the cause of the outbreak of typhoid at Broken Hill.

In the Senate yesterday leave was given to introduce the Naturalization Bill, and further consideration was given to the Bill.

In the House of Representatives an amendment of the January Bill to give the Chief Justice's proposed salary from £5000 to £5500 was rejected by 20 to 21 votes. The Government opposed the amendment.

An additional case of anisakia was reported at Launceston yesterday.

An accident happened to the machinery of the Pacific mail ship was proceeding to sea yesterday, and the vessel has been ordered to return to port.

The German ship Sassa was arriving in Sydney yesterday from London after the extraordinary smart passage of 75 days.

At the annual meeting of the Association for Assisting Deaf-mutes last night the report stated that 45 per cent. of those who had received aid during the year had been cured.

In the House of Commons yesterday a verdict for £50 damages was given against the Railway Commissioners for the loss of a parcel for a journey recently taken from a train.

A deposition representing 70 trades and labour organizations in Victoria, and the fact that the Wages Board has been established, is being forwarded to the Minister for the Interior.

Representatives of the New South Wales Federation and the Federated Steamers' Union met in Melbourne to discuss the rate of wages in the inter-state shipping trade.

There was diminished but more than ordinary activity in the Stock and Share market yesterday, the dominating feature being the rise.

A good volume of business was also transacted in the Mining market, however, material fluctuations were not observed.

Trade in the Import market was dull.

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TYPHOID AT BALMAIN.

SPECIAL REPORT BY DR. STOKES.
A recent special meeting of the Balmain Council, for the purpose of considering a drastic report in connection with the recent outbreak of influenza, was held last night.

It was resolved to ask Dr. Stokes, assistant officer, to furnish a further report upon conditions which were referred to him. At the meeting of the council Dr. Stokes' report, which was of a lengthy character, was available, and gave rise to a considerable discussion.

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represented only 5 per cent. of the metropolitan population of Sydney, with four times the population of the country but no case, or a little over one-half of the distribution.

During his investigations into the cases occurring in 1911, Dr. St. George stated that he had made careful inquiries into the possibility of the disease being disseminated by the use of articles of food or drink, such as oysters or shellfish, milk supply, or water, and was in each case satisfied as to the nature of the subject required. The results of these inquiries were given, and showed that no cases were found on 138 premises. In very few instances was it found that there had been any persons

water was plentiful, except in those where it was once measured. This corresponded with what was noted in connection with typhoid epidemics. If the milk supplied, he did not consider that the epidemic part in causing or spreading the disease was placed regarding the milk supply at once, but some possibility of the infection being derived from other food supplies was also suggested. That no information was received to give rise to the idea that any of them was at fault.

Water supply had been believed locally to be free of all the cause, and a similar situation was pointed out during the investigation. Heiman was in agreement with the rest of the metropolitan district, that the milk water from the River was not the cause.

were contaminated with typhoid bacilli they should be able to find not only an excessive number of bacilli but also an amounting to hundreds, but less than thousands, distributed evenly over the whole area supplied by the reservoir. If any of the reservoirs from which the water was drawn had been contaminated, with the exception of typhoid an unparalleled outbreak of typhoid in the districts served by the reservoirs would have occurred. Nothing of that nature had occurred, therefore it might be reasonably concluded that the water in the reservoirs had been supplied to the mains free from typhoid. Another point at which water might be infected was the mains—that was if the mains were in any way defective in structure, and the ground in which they

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that there was no occasion to look outside the village for the source of the infection that caused the outbreak—which would be more normally described as a communicable zoonosis. Sufficient infective material was present in the manure of the infected pigs to cause infection in humans to fully account for, at all events, the outbreak. He had pointed out that such factors as food supply, food supply, water, etc., could be eliminated from the list of possible causes. There was stress on the need to control the disease. Undoubtedly the control of these local conditions was the primary factor where the typhoid bacilli could not protect themselves against their natural destroyers—bacteria—and which, in the

Personal habits might, and did, show a significant influence on the results. The study's first instance promises to fall into an interesting category: what he desired to especially refer to was a number of municipal habits. The continued exposure to and in any district showed that the local authority had to comply with the requirements of the II. All other local habit which favoured the spread of typhoid, the absence or inadequacy of disinfection. He had previous report indicated the measures which he considered necessary for preventing the excessive amount of dirt in the streets. If they were carried out the element of the sanitation of the borough would be positive of many other forms of II-health which would lead to dirt. The present typhoid season was

ally liver and he did not anticipate many more deaths from the bunnies for the next few months, but a very considerable change was effected in local conditions. A small rabbit he had set the slightest doubt that it was dead would be as fruitful in cases as the present. Finally, he considered, was in the hands of the local authority.

Concerning the results of analyses of samples taken from the tumours during the recent meeting of the Society, Dr. Rose, Kendall and Yung had all reported that none of the samples showed any of the typical features of the lymphoid bodies.

After discussion it was decided to make the report of the day for discussion at next meeting of the Society.

local inspector reported that there had been a large reduction in the number of infectious diseases for the past fortnight, viz., 21 less than the previous fortnight. For the period just ended only 10 cases had been entered, 8 of which were scarlet fever.

PARRAMATTA DISTRICT.

THE WATER QUESTION.

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ated, and the council has been using water for the "servants from the Providence Hotel." One of the reclamation service belongs to the council, and the council has been using it. The council thought that the Water and Sewerage Board should make some concession. This has always been a source of dissatisfaction. At last meeting of the council Alderman Chapman moved,—"That a claim be made by title to the Water and Sewerage Board for the interest of that portion of the council's plant, and of those servants connected with carrying on the supply within the borough, from the commencement of service; and further, that it be member and Mayor be asked to support such claim by deputations to the board."

CONDEMNED HOUSES.

The Barramatta Council on Monday evening met and were carried condemning certain houses as uninhabitable, and calling upon the owners to order repairs to the satisfaction of the health officer. On subject a communication was received from the Survey-General drawing attention to the Council's decision in reference to one of those places used as a house for old-age prisoners, one of whom had decided to reply to the effect that the Council was wrong.

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RESCUE WORK.

A largely attended meeting was held in the Grand Ball Room in connection with the annual meeting of the Society for the Salvation Army, carrying on the rescue work. The Mayor, Aldermen Lamb, and others were present among others, Mr. J. W. M. L. A., and the Rev. H. Watson, T. E. P. and others. The work done by this organization, several speakers discussed the work of the army, and congratulated the success which had attended their endeavours.

LICENSING COURT

Licensing Court was held at Parramatta yesterday, Mr. T. E. McNeven, S.M., and Mr. D. D. Henderson presiding.

The revocals of public-house licenses were granted on remission of the following: Grosvenor Hotel; Margaret Bond Hotel; James Cairns Hotel; Albion Hotel; Phoebe Mack's Hotel; and Mary Pandur, Vauxhall Hotel, Grosvenor. Thomas Chapman's application for renewal of the license of the Royal Exchange Hotel, Grosvenor, was before the Court. The applicant, however, appeared, and the police stated that Chapman had abandoned the hotel. The renewal of the license was refused. Mr. H. A. Richardson stated that the owners of

ROCKWOOD STREET LIGHTING.

The Rockwood Council is considering the question of lighting, and at last meeting a resolution was carried directing the council clerk to collect any information in the matter, with a view to taking a plebiscite vote of the ratepayers at an early date. It was further decided to arrange for a demonstration of the electric light system next week.

Well attended meeting of the Railway League was held at Durai on Saturday last. Mr. J. J. Jones

the president, occupying the chair. The day that had waited on the Minister for Work and Pensions (Messrs. M. P. Brown and H. A. B. Jones) that the chairman, Mr. McFarlane, had stated that the committee would first take oral evidence, then report the district, and finally the evidence of local people. A list of names of those to give evidence and of the local statistics was made out. The witnesses were informed that the fruitgrowers were very anxious to their demands for railway facilities to get their fruit to market, and are willing to pay double the ordinary rates.

NY. DELICATE CHILDREN, AND
WHAT TO GIVE THEM.

The little ones like it and take it with pleasure when they cannot be induced to take Cod-Liver Oil. It not only promotes appetite and puts on flesh rapidly, but it soothes any internal inflammation of the stomach and bowel disorders and greatly improves the child's digestive system. Doctors prescribe it regularly good results from its use in whooping cough and all troublesome coughs, croupals, ricter's disease and glands, and after measles or any illness that soft the child's system. In a weakened, run-down condition. Its effect is oftentimes marvelous, and the gain in weight, strength, and color is remarkable.

The Emulsion is obtained in three sizes from
 of the principal chemists. A sample bottle re-
 to any address in Australia on receipt of 4d
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THE COMMONWEALTH.

FEDERAL MAIL CONTRACTS.

A correspondent writes alleging that when a mail contractor fails to carry out his contract the Postmaster-General has no right to sue him, but that the Department has to sue him in the name of the Commonwealth, and then allow both the contractor and the Commonwealth to sue the contractor. This is a mistake, and the contractor is liable to the Commonwealth for the breach of his contract. It is a mistake to suppose that the Commonwealth is not a legal entity, and that it cannot sue a contractor. The Commonwealth is a legal entity, and it can sue a contractor for the breach of his contract. The Commonwealth is a legal entity, and it can sue a contractor for the breach of his contract.

THE PATENT LAWS.

It is understood that the Federal Government will introduce a bill to amend the Patent Laws. The bill will provide for the amendment of the Patent Laws, and will provide for the amendment of the Patent Laws. The bill will provide for the amendment of the Patent Laws, and will provide for the amendment of the Patent Laws. The bill will provide for the amendment of the Patent Laws, and will provide for the amendment of the Patent Laws.

DEPOSAL OF SUGARCANE FOR FODDER.

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BLACK LABOUR ON MAIL STEAMERS.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTERS.)

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FODDER DUTIES AND CUSTOMS REVENUE.

The Federal Treasury is closely examining the figures of the year's revenue to see how the Government can increase its revenue. The Government is closely examining the figures of the year's revenue, and is seeking to increase its revenue. The Government is closely examining the figures of the year's revenue, and is seeking to increase its revenue. The Government is closely examining the figures of the year's revenue, and is seeking to increase its revenue.

ARRANGING OF VOTES.

Up to now separate accounts have been kept in the Commonwealth for the money expended during the year in which the Commonwealth was established. The Commonwealth has been established, and the money expended during the year has been kept in separate accounts. The Commonwealth has been established, and the money expended during the year has been kept in separate accounts.

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

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MILITARY REORGANIZATION.

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SPECIAL CABLES.

FROM THE "HERALD'S" LONDON CORRESPONDENTS.

THE GERMAN EMPEROR.

At the ceremony attending the unveiling of a statue to Frederick the Great at Dornberg in the town of Potsdam, the German Emperor, Kaiser Wilhelm, was present. The Emperor was present at the ceremony, and was seen by the people. The Emperor was present at the ceremony, and was seen by the people. The Emperor was present at the ceremony, and was seen by the people.

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RUSSIA IN MANCHURIA.

REPORTED AGREEMENT DENIED.

Prince Ching, who was yesterday reported to be a warm advocate of Russian aims in Manchuria, denies that he has signed a secret agreement between China and Russia with regard to Manchuria. Prince Ching denies that he has signed a secret agreement between China and Russia with regard to Manchuria. Prince Ching denies that he has signed a secret agreement between China and Russia with regard to Manchuria.

THE BALKANS.

VIOLATING THE FRONTIER.

One hundred Turkish soldiers attempted to cross the Bulgarian frontier at Guletsa. The Bulgarian guards fired at the Turks, and the Turks were killed. The Bulgarian guards fired at the Turks, and the Turks were killed. The Bulgarian guards fired at the Turks, and the Turks were killed.

PREPARATIONS FOR TROOPS.

THE TURKISH MINISTER FOR WAR HAS ORDERED THE ARMY AUTHORITIES AT SALONIKA AND ADRIANOPLE TO PREPARE PROVISIONS FOR 50,000 TROOPS.

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SOUTH AFRICA.

THE LABOUR QUESTION.

INDENTURING OF ASIATICS.

Legislation is being prepared at Pretoria which has for its object the indenturing of Asiatics who are to be employed exclusively in the mines. The measure will provide for the indenturing of Asiatics who are to be employed exclusively in the mines. The measure will provide for the indenturing of Asiatics who are to be employed exclusively in the mines.

THE MALTESE CONSTITUTION.

A RETROGRADE STEP.

Mr. Chamberlain, the Secretary of State for the Colonies, has re-imposed on Malta the Constitution of 1887, which a couple of years ago was superseded by a Constitution of a more liberal character. Mr. Chamberlain has re-imposed on Malta the Constitution of 1887, which a couple of years ago was superseded by a Constitution of a more liberal character. Mr. Chamberlain has re-imposed on Malta the Constitution of 1887, which a couple of years ago was superseded by a Constitution of a more liberal character.

TRANSPORT OF TROOPS.

A RUSSIAN EXPERIMENT.

Berlin newspapers report that a large body of Russian troops has been ordered to the Far East, and will proceed via the Siberian railway. The Russian troops are being transported via the Siberian railway. The Russian troops are being transported via the Siberian railway. The Russian troops are being transported via the Siberian railway.

PROFESSOR BLUNDO.

RECEIVED BY KING VICTOR EMANUEL.

King Victor Emmanuel III. of Italy has received Professor Blundo, vice-consul of New South Wales in audience. The King received Professor Blundo, and was pleased to see him. The King received Professor Blundo, and was pleased to see him. The King received Professor Blundo, and was pleased to see him.

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THE QUEENSLAND DINNERS.

TRUST IN FEDERATION.

The annual Queensland Dinner was given last night, and was attended by 110 gentlemen. The dinner was a success, and was enjoyed by all. The dinner was a success, and was enjoyed by all. The dinner was a success, and was enjoyed by all.

OBITUARY.

SIR JOSEPH PEASE.

The death is announced of Sir Joseph Pease, M.P. (Liberal) for Barnard Castle Division of Durham, aged 75 years. Sir Joseph Pease was a distinguished statesman and a member of the House of Commons. Sir Joseph Pease was a distinguished statesman and a member of the House of Commons.

MAJOR POND.

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The death is announced of Major Pond, American lecture agent. He was aged 65 years. Major Pond was a well-known figure in the lecture circuit. Major Pond was a well-known figure in the lecture circuit. Major Pond was a well-known figure in the lecture circuit.

SERVIA.

A BRUTAL OFFICER.

THE BURIAL OF THE SOVEREIGNS.

It has transpired that when a gendarme was lifting the body of the late King Alexander into the coffin, he was seized by the gendarme and thrown to the ground. The gendarme was killed, and the King's body was buried. The gendarme was killed, and the King's body was buried. The gendarme was killed, and the King's body was buried.

GREEK COURT IN MOURNING.

LONDON, JUNE 23.

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SERVIAN OFFICERS IN RUSSIA.

TREATED WITH CONTUMELY.

Servian officers at St. Petersburg are being treated with contumely by the people of that capital. Some Servian officers who attended a performance at the Aquarium Theatre were pelted with missiles and compelled to leave. Some Servian officers who attended a performance at the Aquarium Theatre were pelted with missiles and compelled to leave.

THE NEW KING.

EN ROUTE TO BELGRADE.

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THE IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

LENGTH OF THE SESSION.

The "Times" states that, since the meeting between the Government and the Nationalists on the Irish Land Bill has been accepted, it is expected that the session will end on August 12. The session will end on August 12. The session will end on August 12.

THE SHIPPING COMBINE.

GREAT DECLINE IN SHARES.

The ordinary shares of the Atlantic Shipping Combine (the International Mercantile Marine Company) are selling at 25, and the preference shares at 25. The shares are selling at 25, and the preference shares at 25. The shares are selling at 25, and the preference shares at 25.

THE MOAT FARM MURDER.

DOUGLAS SENTENCED TO DEATH.

At the Essex Assizes at Chelmsford, Samuel Herbert Douglas has been convicted of the murder of George Campbell at the Moat Farm, near Clavering, Essex, and was sentenced to death. Samuel Herbert Douglas has been convicted of the murder of George Campbell at the Moat Farm, near Clavering, Essex, and was sentenced to death.

THE AIMS OF BISMARCK AND CHAMBERLAIN.

MR. C. VON HAGE, IN THE COURSE OF A LECTURE DELIVERED LAST NIGHT AT THE SCHOOL OF ARTS, REFERRED TO MR. CHAMBERLAIN'S PREFERENTIAL TRADE PROPOSALS.

Mr. C. von Hage, in the course of a lecture delivered last night at the School of Arts, referred to Mr. Chamberlain's preferential trade proposals. Mr. von Hage referred to Mr. Chamberlain's preferential trade proposals, and discussed them. Mr. von Hage referred to Mr. Chamberlain's preferential trade proposals, and discussed them.

ARCTIC EXPLORATION.

MR. ZIEGLER'S EXPEDITION.

The Polar exploring vessel America, fitted out by Mr. Ziegler, under the leadership of Mr. Anthony Fiala, has sailed from Tromsø, Norway, for Franz Josef Land, where the expedition will winter. The expedition will winter at Franz Josef Land. The expedition will winter at Franz Josef Land.

WATERBURY BOILERS.

A DISTILLING APPARATUS.

The steamer Aqueduct, which has been fitted with a powerful distilling apparatus, is being experimentally attached to the Channel. The steamer Aqueduct is being experimentally attached to the Channel. The steamer Aqueduct is being experimentally attached to the Channel.

THE NEXT ENGLISH ELEVEN.

MARYLEBONE CLUB RESPONSIBLE.

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GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

LONDON, JUNE 23.

A newspaper which has been established on the island of Santa Barbara, off the coast of California, will rely upon telegrams from the mainland to convey to it news of the world. The newspaper will rely upon telegrams from the mainland to convey to it news of the world.

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BRUTALITY OF ARMY OFFICERS.

ASSAULT ON A CIVILIAN.

DASTARDLY BEHAVIOUR.

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COURT-MARTIAL ACQUITS.

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SOUTH AUSTRALIA FEELS THE PINCH.

FIRST WATER TRAIN.

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WATER FAMINE AT BROKEN HILL.

MINES STILL CLOSED DOWN.

AN ACUTE STAGE REACHED.

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